GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1532
ANSWERED ON:27.11.2002
OPENING OF HOSPITALS/CGHS DISPENSARIES IN EVENING
ALE NARENDRA;NEDURUMALLI JANARDHANA REDDY

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

to the reply given to USQ No. 2489 dated July 31, 2002 regarding opening of Hospitals/CGHS Dispensaries in evening in Delhi and state:

(a) whether the Government have finalized the decision on the proposal to start evening OPD for CGHS (senior citizens) in Government Hospitals of Delhi;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) if not, the reasons for the delay; and

(d) the arrangements the Government have made so that the patients do not face any problem in the event of disrupted power supply?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI A. RAJA)

(a) to (c) The proposal to start evening OPD for CGHS (Senior Citizens) in Government hospitals of Delhi has not been finalized.

(d) In so far as Central Government Hospitals in Delhi i.e. Dr. R.M.L. Hospital, Safdarjung Hospital and Lady Hardinge Medical College & Associated Hospitals are concerned, back-up power supply through generator is always available for critical areas of the hospitals.